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Note.—*The Figures in the Margin denote the Number of the Folios in the written Copy.*

1 WHEREAS by an Act made in the last Session of Parliament, intituled, "An Act to permit the free Interchange of every "Species of Grain between *Great Britain* and *Ireland*," it was Enacted, That from and after the passing of the said Act, all Bounties and Duties payable on the Exportation and Importation of Corn, Grain, Malt, Meal, Flour, or Biscuit respectively, from *Great Britain* to *Ireland*, and from *Ireland* to *Great Britain*, should cease and be no longer payable; and that it should be lawful for any Person to carry and export out of and from any Port or Place in *Great Britain* to any Port or Place in *Ireland*, and out and from any Port or Place in *Ireland* to any Port or Place in *Great Britain*, and to import into any Port or Place in *Great Britain* from any Port or Place in *Ireland*, and into any Port or Place in *Ireland* from any Port or Place in *Great Britain*, without Payment of any Duty whatsoever on that Importation in any *British* or *Irish* Ship or Vessel, owned and navigated according to Law, any Sort of Corn or Grain, Meal, Flour, Bread or Biscuit, whatever 2 the Average Price of Corn or Grain might be in either Country at the Time of such Exportation or Importation; Preamble.

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For obviating of any Doubts or Difficulties in the Conſtruction of the ſaid Act, **Be it Enacted and Declared** by the KING's Moſt Excellent MAJESTY, by and with the Advice and Conſent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this preſent Parliament aſſembled, and by the Authority of the ſame, That the ſaid recited Act, and the ſeveral Clauſes and Proviſions therein mentioned relating to the Exportation and Importation of any Sort of Corn or Grain, Meal, Flour, Bread or Biſcuit, from *Great Britain* to *Ireland*, or from *Ireland* to *Great Britain*, was intended and ſhall be conſtrued to extend, and the ſame is hereby declared to extend only to Corn or Grain, Meal, Flour, Bread or Biſcuit, being the Growth, Produce, or Manufacture of *Great Britain* or *Ireland* reſpectively, and not to any Corn or Grain, Meal, Flour, Bread or Biſcuit, being the Growth, Produce, or Manufacture of any other Country or Place; any thing in the ſaid recited Act to the contrary notwithſtanding.

Recited Act ſhall be conſtrued to extend only to Corn, &c. the Growth of Great Britain and Ireland reſpectively.

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